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## Moetry.

From the Dublin University Magazine THE OLD OAK TREE.

I would I were a child again, As when I sported free Upon the green-sward through the glen, Beneath the old oak tree. My father's calm and thoughtful brow In memory still I see;
My mother's smile shines on me now Beneath the old oak-tree.

The sunshine falls as warm and bright; As freshly breathes the air; The stream will dance down as light, The flowers still bloom as fair; Where'er my tearful eyes may range, Familiar spots I see; The scenes I love seem slow to change Around the old oak-tree.

But gone are all those cherished forms I gazed on when a child. Like aniumn leaves when early storms Sweep through the woodlands wild, And all alone within the glen I linger musingly;
I wish I were a child again

Beneath that old oak-tree.

## Select Tale.

THE ARMAGH MARAUDERS:

THE BESIEGED COT.

FROMTHE NOTES OF A TRAVELER.

BY SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

At Dublin I met my old friend from London, Thomas Elwell. He was on his way to Londonderry, and was very anxious that I should accompany him. He to give them a warm reception." "Another rifle!" cried Elwell, passing we hastened up an closed the trap after uded of its guta-percha insulation and exbunting and fishing. I had a great de- ance was the only choice left for us, and Matthew Croft was already at that post passed out—I followed—then came Mat- electric skill. It is not accessible by

friends occupying a small cottage, upon a ready for them." arrange his business, and partly for sport.

Just at sundown we returned to the there if they've not been stolen." man, by the name of Pat Collins, was present emergence of the batteries. And with a suitable force, we returned to the Proteus for variability. It establishes tickets which he had collected, and laid by stringth to fly over youder hedge, the paring supper, the boatman, who had birds." brought me down the lake, made his appearance, and took Elwell aside. I saw turned the agent. "So now let's load batter down a door of triple iron! Can ened, shattered over the accounts away.) - "Well, I never seen a poor genthere was something important on the up and be ready for them." docket, but I was busy with my gun, and I paid little attention to it. When Elwell a shout from the direction of the lake—a ned Mathew, for we should have to come we found till I sickened of the search opposing currents sometimes grow very Sit down, I would like to talk with up an iron-monger in Shibbergen." Shot

bled and uneasy.

I asked him what had happened. the resumed, taking a seat by my side, fleecy clouds hung over the tops of the stars were visible, though a few look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sorits of Armagh perished there, which made you so hopeful got across the look on and see the blood-thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in sories of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in the look of the look on and see the blood thirsty scamps in the look of th

irs has changed, and I fear we shall have trouble. I hanging trees,

magh, just to the south of us, there is a could plainly see-advanced a few paces after us," I suggested. gang of maranders, collected from the and called ont to usagents have been hard upon them. At ye!"

uswith the rest. He has heard from at Mil- ye think ye can make them Armagh the trap door lifted. This cellar was a remote end of resistance, formed of five town, and he assures me they will be here wolves understand reasou? Ye'll see if small space, with a ragged bottom of sol- wire, and equal to 280 miles of cable, and retained his seemingly listless position. this very night. If such is their purpose ye only ax 'em." it is too late for me to flee, for I can only At this juncture the leader of the ma- were placed together near the center. — same electrical effects as the actual fault baggage car. 'All aboard,' cried the congo by the lake, and they might overhand randers called out again for the agent. Holes were bored with a bung-auger, and in the cable. The indications obtained ductor. 'Get on Limpy!' said he, as

mained to defend the cot, I should remain mother quicker'n he'd let one ov us go if match-paper had been brought with the alent resistance, were to a fraction of a

me, so much the better. We may be able chorus from the maranders.

and he had heard the news from one of der us all if they g done he meant to spend a few weeks in bound for our place. Then a firm resist- dow, somebody!" ladder. Elwell opened the scuttle and cannot be repaired by engineering or

two weeks before I was prepared to set inform us that the marauders had disem- they went. out. However, I got started at length. barked. This boy was the son of the fish- In a few minutes a bright light flash- no heed of pain while the howling of ting oxide is soluable and washes off as I took a packet for Belfast, and from man whom Matthew had seen, and he did ed out upon the darkness, and we found those incarnate fiends came up from the quickly as formed. Nor is this the only thence I found conveyance by stage .- not dare to be known as our friend. El- that they had ignited some torches which place we had left. When I reached Ballyronan I found a well went out with the lad, and when he they had brought. I leaped into the "Now-look sharp!" cried Elwell— copper is eaten away each time the posi-

from the water's edge, from whence could squarewindows, and a door of thick, solid ty soon the whole crowd sought a place of the mountain had been rent in twain - is almost wholly conservative. Its ten- thought he? He had been rudely treated; be obtained a fine view of Lough Neagh. oak plank. It had not been originally in- shelter again, and we could overhear them a momentary darkness -- a sense of op- dency is to make a metallic deposit on he had been unkindly taunted with the in-The boatman was in a hurry, so he simply pointed out to me the place, and then the strong in order that it might be a

reasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and then the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and the thunder broke upleasoning together. Courtney O'Dowd beavens—and the thunder started on his return. I should have in- safe repository for the property of the and he had succeeded in gaining their at- on the giant-rocks, and went rolling over etical phrase, "to take silver from the self if he chose. He could tell the Disisted upon his stopping, but I saw El. company and its agents when necessary, tention. They were convinced that they the distant peaks. A shower of stones sea " off, and being thus assured that all was perpendicular rock, which thus formed the door down, and O'Dowd was planning for shock was passed, and sense returned, the fault momentarily at the expense of Should be do it?

from London partly to help their friend top of the rock.

to take our door down arrange his business, and partly for sport.

"We have powder and ball enough for short space of time.

disposed of we took our guns and went lar which I brought up for blasting pur- purpose. The door must come down at were clear of the smoke. We reached so much annoyance since a few days after Presently the conductor came back.— Shot 3rd (birds all off again)—

with any weighty articles, save by the cliff." A last of the last

while Pat drew near to hear, "I have received partial warnings, but they were not of such a character that I thought it worth while to take notice of them. Now are not of such a character of the worth while to take notice of them. Now are not of such a character of the worth while to take notice of them. Now are not of such a character of the worth while to take notice of the w

Work stopped him allow til finally we could see the dark forms of served in return. They howled in their our boy Hans, because dat ish his when he saw a ruffian raise his arm to to all whom you meet. You cannot the impossibility of starving a Scotch-

enlightened me upon the nature of the broad plateau in front of the cot. I derous beam, and swore that they would "Well," he continued, "it is just here: were more—a few more—but they came us. You know, of course, that nearly all the crowding up over the brow of the sharp "You are sure there is no way of esland hereabouts is owned by our com- pitch so thickly that I lost my reckon- cape by the roof," said I. pany in London, and though we do as ing after that. They gathered in front "How can there be?" replied Elwell fairly as it is possible for men to de, of our little fort, and then one of their "The scuttle only opens upon the rock." yet there must be fault found. In Ar- number-a huge, powerful fellow, as I

wild, half savage peasantry of that district, and they have been plundering and him come out, or ye'll all die wid him! cliff." burning, and killing too, wherever they His blood must leave his black heart could find opportunity. Their crops this night. We're the boys from Arhave been cut off by blight, and I sup- magh, an' we know how to dispose cot." pose they have suffered. The land in of every sneakin', murtherin' agent in the in Leinster, and I have no doubt that the comes yer walls an' death to the whole of up?"

all events, they have killed all the Irish | There was a slight question to be deagents in their part of the country, and cided before we made any reply to this. it was this fact that was reported to me Should we commence resistance at once, it, an' thin let 'em come in!" as a warning; but I have had nothing to or open a parly with them? We had as a warning; but I have had nothing to or open a parly with them? We had do with the Armagh men—we have no seven rifles, and four good double-barrel- leaping down from his post of observa- cable from Newfoundland the other day a hasty glance one might easily have sup- be anybody else is worse than folly. interest in their lands -and I did not be- ed shot-guns, beside four pairs of pistols; tion, "that is our only hope. Pat, you have given raise are delusive." lieve they would come this way. But I and these were all loaded. Our two shall be rewarded for this! It may save For some days before thing Valentia fear I was mistaken. They have sworn windows were so high that they could us. Light the lantern, and we'll make Dr. Thompson conducted a system of all that they will kill every rascally agent not be reached from the outside, while the trial!" they can find, and Dennis Connolly, the we, by standing in a chair, could get a We comprehended the whole plan in a come nearly as familiar with the fault, its ed out: boatmen who had just been here, says they good aim from them.

mean to take us with the rest. He has "Blood an' 'ounds!" cried Pat, in dis- was need of haste, and we went at the work made a submarine visit. Indeed, he made just been here, andsays they mean to take gust, "d'ye think ov tratin' wid 'em? D' with a will. The lantern was lighted and an artificial fault which, when put at the

us there. Yet you can go if you wish." "An' isn't it Archy McGragh that the powder spread from one keg to the on the Professor's reflection galvanome- he passed the lame, carelessly dressed fects the character of another to the I simply smiled at my friend's kind calls to ye?" said pat. "Don't ye know others, and then prepared a match, which ter from a current sent into the cable and man. permission, and assured him that if he re- him? I tell ye, he'd murther his own we found without trouble, as plenty of one sent into this fault, through eniv-

he got his hands on us!" which I cannot handily move," Elwell and he waited no longer. He rested door, and the howls of the demons were ches of a copper strand to the action of a ly took his seat. said; "and though I should not suffer the muzzle of his rifle upon the stool, and exultant. Quickly as possible the match trough-full of salt-water; so that the inmuch in its loss, yet I do not mean that fired A howl like the death cry of a was applied to a hole we had made—a scrence is unavoidable that "at the dis- when the conductor appeared at the door those fellows shall have it. I shall stick devil, followed the sharp report, and in a match which we thought would give us tance of some 280 miles of cable, or about of the car where our friend was sitting — to my post, and if you wish to stay with moment more it was answered by a ful time to escape, and at the same time al-

was agent for one of the metropolitan In a few minutes Mathew Croft came in, down the empty weapon. "They'll mur- us. Another and another crash came up- posed to the water." It is evident that 'Hand out your money here!" in that county, and was going up on bu- the fishermen. He said the Armagh ruf- McGragh has fallen, but Broughshay and the hinges were giving away. We ex- quite as evident to those practically acsiness; and as soon as this business was fishs were even now upon the lake, and O'Dowd are there. Take the other win- tinguished the lantern, and sprang up the quainted with the undertaking that it

sire to visit the north of Ireland, and as we made all necessary preparations as and he fired a moment afterwards. The thew and Theodore, with Pat in the rear. under-running, for the cable will not stand out at the next station!" and he seized this proposition suited me, I accepted it. speedily as possible. I had heard enough odore, Pat and myself sprang to loading The scuttle was closed, and just as it went the strain to which it is subjected in being the value was on the rack over the But I could not go directly on with El. of those wild peasants to know that they the pieces as they were discharged, which down we heard the door come crashing raised from such a depth. Aiter the failwell and his party, as I was obliged to were but mere brutes when their passions we could do very well in the dark, as we in, and a yell of triumph broke from the ure of last year it broke in the attempt to wait at Dublin for important letters; so it were aroused, and that they would hold had exact charges, and everything at marauders as they rushed in. was arranged that I should meet them at human life cheaply enough; but I had no hand. With deafening howls the villains "Quick!" cried the agent, slipping from fifty miles had been lifted. This was in Ballyronan, on the western shore of Lough Neagh, sometime within two might have remained away had I suspect. some of the balls came through the win- will be reached in a few moments " depths at 250 miles from land. Nor can more then, passed on to collect the fare ed a state of affairs, but here I was, and I dows, but without damage, as Elwell and I could see him only a few feet from anything be done by the manipulation of from other passengers. As he stopped at But my letters did not come as I had determined to make the best of it. We Croft kept their stand a little upon one me, and I followed him without much the currents sent in from the shore. A a seat a few paces off, a gentleman who expected. I had to wait eight days for hurried on with our supper, and as soon side. After this the enemy made a rush care for how or where I stepped. Down current of positive (copper) electricity had heard the conversation just mentioned them, and then I had to go to Wexford as that was disposed of a council of war for the door, but they found it too strong the steep and ragged precipice he went, mends the injury slightly; but it is by oxy- looked up at the conductor and asked to attend to a trust given me by one of was holden. We were consulting togeth- for them, and they retired to the end of and down I went after him, tearing my dising the exposed surface of the conduc- him: my correspondents; so that it was over er when a boy arrived from the shore to the cot, we getting two shots at them as clothes and bruising the flesh as I slid, tor and thus coating it with a non-con-

ner was soon served, and when that was there are four kegs of powder in the cel- placed at four different angles for that ger we had begun to descend the hill, and caprice and uncertainty which has given the end.

shadows of the giant cliffs and over- without being instantly marked, and we Mynheer, do you know what for we ed, and I fear we shall have trouble. I hanging trees.

were forced to observe their movements call our boy Hans?' I do not really.'—

The howls came nearer and nearer, unfrom points where we could not be ob
Weli, I will tell you. Der reason we call stame to look out for myself after he had the Armagh savages coming upon the madness as they toiled up with the pon- name,"

counted fifteen of them clearly—there have our heart's blood before they left

"But we may go, and pull the ladder up

around and shoot us down from the recent revival in the Atlantic cable. Al-

"Blow 'em up?" repeated Elwell.

moment, and hope revived. But there position, size and appearance, as if he had id rock, and the four kegs of gunpowder submerged in water, gave exactly the other materials for mining. Directly degree, the same in amount. Now, this et hold of us now .- on the oaken door, and we could see that

and stumbled and rolled along, but taking ductor. Unfortunately this non-conduc-

letter there for me from Elwell, in which returned he was fired with excitement. chair by Matthew's side, and he disappeared. I looked sharp tive current is sent through going to from conductor, trying to conceal his agita-I was informed that they had waited for me as long as they could, and that I he said, "and Hugh Broughshay and neath the windows. The beams of the shelving rock, but before I could make quite apparent in our artificial fault. For should find them ten miles south of there Courtney O'Dowd are with him three torches flashed in their faces, and I must any plan for changing my rate of speed, this reason from the time of the dispatch near the shore of the lake; and I was fur. of the most unmitigated villains that ever say that I never before saw such a dia- over I went-down some six feet -where of the Company's courier with instruc- man's face, but with a strong effort he conther informed that one of the boatmen went unhung. They are huge, powerful bolical looking set. I heard of wild men I brought upon a bed of bushes. The tions for Newfoundland until these in- trolled himself, and went on collecting the would take me directly to their abode. - fellows; full of brute courage; and they and these were perfect specimens. Mur- others were after me before I could fair- structions were being carried out, Dr. fair as usual. I found the boatmen to whom I had have unlimited sway over their compan- der stamped upon their every feature, and ly gain my feet, and when I gained sense Thompson did not admit any positive Meanwhile Mr. Warburton sat quietly sen recommended, and we had a pleas- ious. They talk of redressing wrongs, they looked like the villains they in truth enough to look around I was stunned electricity into the line except for testing in his seat—none of those who were near ant run down the lake. I found my but they mean plunder. But we'll be were. Elwell and Croft fired again, with again. There come a sharp, hissing, purposes, Had he not done so, the con- him could unravel the expression of his a sure aim, and then dodged back to avoid crackling noise—then the earth shook tinuity would have been gone long ago face, nor tell what would be the next movefriends occupying a small cottage, upon a ready for them."

a sure aim, and then dodged back to avoid crackling noise—then the earth shook tinuity would have been gone long ago face, nor tell what would be the next move—wild, romantic spot. about half a mile The cot was built of stone, with small the shots that were sent in return. Pret-beneath me—a roar, a crash, as though The effect of a negative (zinc) current ment in the scene. And he—of what

over the hill; but I managed to keep the corrode through and fall upon the outer outlived those days of hardship; he was Shot 2d (ditto) "Tare an agera,

they cared not to keep their approach we had been able to keep up our fire entered the cot after the door was battered up and down the scale like an ignis fatuus under tone. a secret. There was no moon, but most there had been an excitement which ban. down, but I never heard of any such. — under the influence of these "earth cur-

From the Fifeshire (Scotland) Journal. Real State of the Atlantic Cable.

AUBURN COTTAGE, RUTHERGLEN, Saturday, Oct. 23, 1858. Professor Thomson, writing to the

Glasgow Herald, says: "I have read with considerable interest "And then the villains would come your remarks in yesterday's paper on the though it is best to be hopeful under the "And there is no escape from the cliff?" circumstances, there are still certain occa-"Only by passing back in front of the sions when we may delude ourselves and be buoyed up with false expectations .--"Be jabers!" cried Pat, with a clasp of In subjects of great national interest, their region is owned, mostly, by parties country. Come out wid ye, or down his hands. "an' why can't we blow"em and involving a large amount of private capital, such false expectations must eventually be productive of harm, and "Wid the powther in the cellar," sug- ought not, therefore, to be encouraged. gested the cook. "Put a slow match to It is only too probable, indeed almost certain that the expectations to which the "By the big gun!" exclaimed the agent, few words which struggled through the

but constant testing, by which he has berecover the submerged portion after only returned the stranger. adverse circumstance. A portion of the ident of the road.'

BE COURTEOUS. Or the Railroad Conductor Cought.

The following incident illustrates the adage, "You cannot judge of a man by coat he wears:" 'Halloa, Limpey, the cars will start in

minute; hurry up, or we shall leave you behind.' of our Western railroads. The engine was puffing and blowing. The baggage master was busy with baggage and checks. The men were hurrying to and fro with chests and valises, packages and trunks.

posed that he was a man of neither wealth is an impossibility to attain it. It is congave him a contemptuous look, and slap- succeed in imitating the greatest man that ping him familiarly on the shoulder shout- ever figured in history, would that make

'Halloa, Limpy, better get aboard, or the cars will leave you behind.' 'Time enough, I reckon,' replied the

individual so roughly addressed, and he The last trunk was tumbled into the

The lame man made no reply.

Just as the train was slowly moving away, the lame man stepped on the plat-"I have considerable property here Elwell was at one of the windows, there came a thundering crash upon the fault was made by leaving above two in- form of the last car, and, walking in, quiet-

The train had moved on a few miles low our enemy time to enter-and then conductor is for at least two inches den-stranger whom he had seen at the sta-

'Don't pay!'

'No sir.

'We'll see about that. I shall put you head of our friend.

Better not be so rough, young man,

The conductor receased the carpet bag

'Do you know to whom you was speaking just now?'

That was Peter Warburton, the Pres-

'Are you sure of that, sir?' repled the

The color rose a little in the young

rectors the simple truth, and the youn-

alf " neighwon "

throw a rotten egg, and and all judge of a man by the coat he wears, man,

and even the poorest should be treated with civility. Take up the books, sir. If you change your course, nothing which has happened to-day shall injure you!-Your situation is still continued. Good morning, sir. and pornon il A cond

The train of cars swept on, as many a train had done before, but within it a lesson had been given and learned, and the The cars were waiting a station of one purport of the lesson ran somewhat thus -Don't judge from appearances us ed

## Shun Affectation

There is nothing more beautiful In the young than simplicity of character, It is Men, women and children rushing for the honest, frank, and attractive. How diffcars, and hastily securing their seats, while erent is affectation! The simple-minded the locomotive snorted, and puffed, and blowed.

A man carelessly dressed was standing on the platform of the depot. He was looking around him, and seemingly paid little attention to what was passing. At the local page one might easily have supnor influence. The conductor of the train temptible to try! But suppose you could you any the greater? By no means .-You would always suffer in comparison with the imitated one, and be thought of only as the shadow of a substance—the echo of a real sound—the counterfeit of

pure coin-Dr. Johnson aptly compared the heartless imitator—for such is he who af-Empress of Russia, when she did the freakish thing of erecting a palace of ice. It was splendid and conspicuous while it lasted. But the sun soon melted it, and caused its attractions to dissolve into common water, while the humblest stone cottages of her subjects stood firm and unmarred! Let the fabric of your character, though ever so humble, be at least real. Avoid affecting the character of another, however great. Build up your own. Be what God intended you to be -yourself, and not somebody else. Shun

A writer in the New Orleans True Delta exhibits an admiration of his own country by cotaloguing some of the big doings of nature within the boundaries of the United States thos; on Jani onis

The largest cataract in the world is Ningara Falls, where, in a stream thesegreat lakes plunge a hundred and sixty

The largest cave—the Mammoth Cave in Kentucky, where you can make a voyage on a subteranean river, and catch fish without eyes-the nose "having it" on-

The largest river—the Miss

4.100 miles in length. The largest valley-that of the Mis sippi-containing half a million of a miles, and one of the most fertile regio of the globe.

The largest lake -- Lake Saperior 430 miles long. The largest natural bridge-Cedar creek, in Virginia, of 80 feet span,

The largest mass of iron the Pilot Knob Iron Mountain, in Missouri, 850 feet high, and two miles around. hear The largest railroad -the illinois Central-721 miles in length, and costing

and over a gap 250 feet deep.

\$15,000,000. old garb of shem kew The greatest number of miles of railroad in proportion to surface is in Masmile of road to every square mile of terri-

The following compliments were paid well himself upon a rocky eminence not far The structure stood against the face of a could do nothing until they had got the and splinters fell about us, and when the man would be deprived of his place at once. to Sheridan, in Norfolk, by an Irish sersafe, I let the fellow go. My friend had seen me land, and he came down to meet seen me land, an vant belonging to Mr. Coke, who attendme, and conducted me to his quarters, upon the back slope of the roof there was down a large tree which grew close at path is clear. Follow me." where I found Matthew and Theodore a scuttle, reached by a small ladder from hand, and from the trunk of which they of which they position he now held. when a little or More power to your honor! Did you Croft, two brothers who had come up the floor, which afforded a passage to the soon formed a battering-ram heavy enough ness for awhile, for the amoke of the ter- must give way soon, either entirely or in ange peddler, he stood by the street-cross- see the little fellow drop his leg as he went to take our door down in an alarming rific blast had settled like a thunder cloud part. If only one of the wires should sings, he had many a rebuff. He had off? He'll never stand on his toes again." They had had excellent lack at shooting, and they had also taken some of the finest and they had also taken som salmon I had ever seen. A splendid din- "Enough!" cried Elwell. "Why— fire they can see us, as they have men of the maurauders; and in a short time lon- message is only a continuance of the same who sat near him wailed curiously to see windey? They'll pray never to see your honor agin on this side of the country poses three years ago, —that is—they are all events. We may shoot one or two the lake, and found a boat, and by ten we landed the cable. In terrestrial mag- With a steady energy he walked up to an 'ouns! but they have cotched it! (Afmore, but we shall gain nothing. They o'clock we were safe at Ballyronan. netism the submarine electrician has an Mr. Warburton's side. He took his ter watching them awhile) There's cot, and as our cock, an honest Wexford "They're there, sir," said Pat. "I've can place a few men who can effectually On the following morning, in company antagonist to contend with who is a very books from his pocker, the bank bills, the three wounded, anyhow, for they had hard-up and be ready for them."

He had hardly spoken when we heard

We escape by the roof?"

the hill. Here and there we found torn after having nine tenths of its strength tathe hall. But these
cant seat at his side, said:

The restricted rules were seat a peor genthe hill. Here and there we found torn the hill. But these
cant seat at his side, said: ed came back, however, I judged that the maddened, defiant howl. The villains around upon the plateau in order to get and sight, and turned away. We never weak, or in a magnetic calm altogether you. matter was serious, for he looked tron- knew that we had no means of escape away. There is no possible path over the knew how many were killed on that night, die away. There is no possible path over the knew how many were killed on that night, die away. There is no possible path over the knew how many were killed on that night, die away. There is no possible path over the knew how many were killed on that night, die away. though it could not have been far from splendidly, but perhaps in a few minutes ident turned to him a face in which was world. You'll wake to-morrow morning "There's likely to be trouble in the very path up which they were coming, so I began to fear for the result. While twenty. Some may have escaped who the indicating spot of light would dance no angry feeling, and spoke to him in an with a lumbago in your soft head." Poor Sheridan could stand this no longer, but 'My young friend, I have no revenge- gave his countryman a fee for his in

> them of this, but I will not. By doing so, instance of a beggar dying for want in the I would throw you out of your situation, streets of Scotland-'I believe sir, you are